Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 22 Nov 2022 until 23:59 on Wednesday 23 Nov 2022

Forecast Issued on Monday 21 Nov 2022 at 16:57

Confidence: High for improving later Tuesday, then turning occasionally unsettled again from Wednesday, but lowering for the detail of the worst of the weather.

Headline for Tuesday 22 Nov 2022: Showery start, but conditions gradually improving into the afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 22 Nov 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sleet	Light rain	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Light rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability							
60%	60%	40%	30%	10%	<05%	20%	30%

Forecast for Tuesday 22 Nov 2022

Weather: Rather cloudy overnight and for much of the morning with showers or longer periods of rain, possibly turning wintry at times across very highest peaks. Turning drier from late morning with brighter spells prospering for the afternoon. Largely dry evening of well broken cloud cover.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20-30% initially improving 80%-90 for the afternoon

Low cloud and visibility: Good, becoming moderate or poor in rain and showers, very poor in snow and within cloud, with bases quite extensive down to 500m initially, before gradually lifting and breaking from mid-morning.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	19/27 W	15/21 SW	9/13 NW	13/17 NW	15/20 NW	11/15 NW	9/12 W	10/14 S	15/20 S
300	10/24 SW	8/18 SW	4/10 W	5/12 NW	8/14 NW	6/12 W	6/10 SW	6/14 S	7/17 S
Valley	10/24 SW	7/17 W	4/10 NW	5/12 W	7/14 NW	6/13 W	5/11 SW	5/13 SW	5/15 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	2/-4	2/-2	2/-1	3/-2	4/-0	5/1	4/1	4/0	4/-1
300	4/-0	4/2	4/2	4/2	7/4	7/6	5/3	6/4	5/3
Valley	4/1	5/3	4/3	5/3	8/6	8/6	6/4	6/5	6/4
Freezing Level*	900m	1100m	1100m	1100m	1100m	1200m	1200m	1300m	1200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Some difficult conditions at first across highest peaks in severe wind chill, hill fog and occasional snow.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Mon 21 Nov 2022	24.2mm	28.8mm	29mm

Forecast for Wednesday 23 Nov 2022

Weather: Area of occasionally heavy rain spreading from the west overnight, which clears to a mix of sunshine and only a few scattered showers by mid-morning. Showers building into the afternoon, bringing the risk of hail and thunder.

Maximum wind: Southwest mean 35-40 mph with gusts reaching 55 mph across most exposed ridges and summits.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 10-20% early morning, becoming 80% by late morning then 60% late afternoon

Low cloud and visibility: Good, becoming moderate or poor in rain and showers, very poor in snow and within cloud, with bases quite extensive initially in early periods of rain down to 500m, and sporadically so in the showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 1 Celsius increasing Plus 12 Celsius during the afternoon
At 600m: Plus 4-5 Celsius
Freezing level: 1200 m

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